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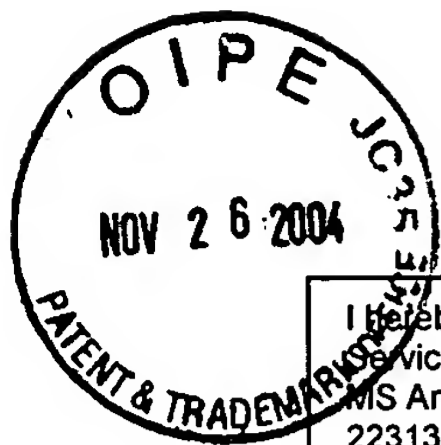
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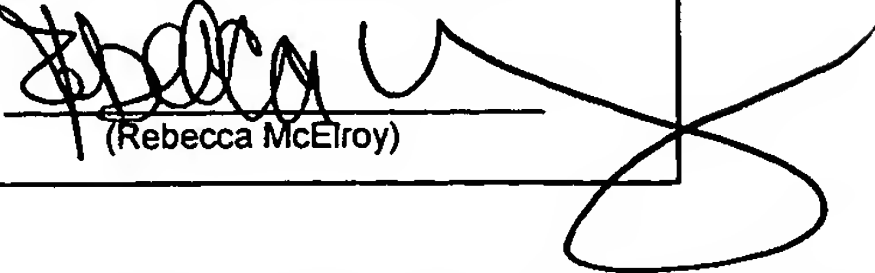
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to an Office Action herein mailed 24 August 2004, time for response to which was set to expire 24 November 2004. Applicants appreciate greatly that claims 1-4 and 25 have been allowed. The remaining claims were subject only to formal rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 112, paragraph 2. By virtue of the amendment below, Applicants have attempted to accommodate the objections raised to claim wording. Any suggestions from the Office for improvements in these solutions would be welcome.